

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kirkpatrick

Group Art Unit: 2642

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222

July 7, 2004

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendment and remarks contained herein in response to the Office Action mailed April 7, 2004. Applicant also files herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Applicant respectfully submits that the amendment and remarks contained herein place the instant application in condition for allowance.